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: Method for Assembling Integrated Circuits With Protection Of The Circuits Against Electrostatic Discharge, And Arragement Of Integrated Circuits With Protection Against

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## AMENDMENT under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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## Sir:

Responsive to the final Office action dated September 26, 2000 kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

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